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Frank E. Langley. Publisher.

A sure sign of approaching spring is the automobile agent activity in Barre.

Good-bye, Speaker "Joe" Cannon; you served your generation and lopped over

One thing to be said about these express company strikes in New York; they move off with express speed.

With a record of 528 deer killed in the last open season, Washington county can be called a happy hunting-ground.

New Hampshire's Senate beat Vermont's Senate in the size of the major-Ity against the income tax amendment; and incidentally a party pledge was reduced to a mash.

Editor Frank L. Greene of the St. Albans Messenger is getting to be a newspaper patriarch, having served The Messenger twenty years. "Tempus does fugit," does it not, neighbor?

When Senator Max Powell got his new hotel exemption bill through the Vermont legislature, he neglected to tack on a rider to exempt the author from criticism by his fellow townsmen.

Brattleboro people are disappointed that their new federal building is to be a squat affair of only a single story, and they are trying to get another appropriation to make a more lofty structure, which, we are forced to confess, 174 North Main Street, Barre, Vermont. is another story.

### HARDWICK'S DIFFICULTIES.

greater part of the winter. Hardwick day, is a great deal like Barre, in that it is dependent almost wholly on this single industry to maintain its prosperity, and

about reciprocity. I am sorry that I cannot agree with you. I don't think it years' test will prove it. "Sincerely yours

"William H. Taft." Apparently President Taft is worked up to the more excited pitch of his administration thus far, and in that condition he is somewhat intolerant of opposition to a measure which he has set his heart upon. However, it is perhaps unreasonable to expect that the president would respond at length to ex-Gov. Bachelder's letter, inasmuch as he had covered the ground of his belief in the special message to Congress which For CONSTIPATION, BILIOUSNESS. was given out some weeks ago, in which HEADACHE, DIZZINESS, INDIGESTION



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he urged the adoption of the reciprocity For the good of Hardwick, it is to agreement. It would be but a repeti- Sylvia Comstock, be hoped that the expectations of an tion to go over those points again in a early adjustment of the granite wage letter to the master of the national difficulties are well founded. Some peo- grange. That understanding of the sitpeople had the same expectations in untion serves to soften the rather unex- and the annual banquet of the directors, Barre a year ago; but in spite of that pected abruptness of the letter which which followed. the suspension continued through the was received by Mr. Bachelder on Thurs-

### PROVIDING ARMORIES.

An article in the warning for the naturally anything which stops the in- Rockingham town meeting, to see if the dustry eripples the community very voters will appropriate \$3,000 for a Ver- February 25, much indeed. The labor suspension mont National Guard armory, recalls to At the sheriff sale conducted by tomes at a lean time of the year, too, mind that it was the lack of an armory ernoon there was a large attendance, when pocketbooks of disputants are low which in part caused Barre to lose this and contrary to precedent the property because of more serious drains of the same Company E, now located in Rock- sold for high figures. F. J. Ackerman winter mouths. Moreover, it is time ingham and which is desirous of secur- of Vershire wielded the hammer. for the usual inrush of spring orders; ing proper accommodations. Perhaps and that inrush will be diverted from there were other contributing causes to married on February 22, at Lyme, N. Hardwick in case of long-continued suspension in the business. Thus the reasons could be multiplied to encourage
early adjustment of the differences.

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headquarters could be secured was certainly a very powerful agency. Therefore, Rockingham (including the village of Bellows Falls) can afford to be some- months since. Just a strain of impatience shows in the reply of President Taft to ex-Gov.

N. H. Pacheller of Naw Howselies.

N. H. Pacheller of Naw Howselies. N. H. Bachelder of New Hampshire, tion. Every town in the state which has Power company as their electrician. master of the national grange, about the a company of the Vermont National Question of Canadian reciprocity. It Guard ought to have an armory that is manifests itself mostly in the brusqueness of the response, which reads as storage of equipment. It is an imposiall present not only seemed favorably

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the town clerk's office Tuesday evening, there was a large attendance and
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Universalist Church—Edward C. Downtion to make the militia hive in an attic impressed, but were enthusiastic over "I have yours of the 28th of February and march over a two-by-four space in an effort to develop a knowledge of miliwill hurt the farmers, and a couple of tary ccience. We are not cognizant of H. O. Bixby; first vice president, E. A. the accommodations afforded in the Corwin; second vice president, W. H. town of Rockingham; but the appropri- Sprague; secretary, John M. Comstock; ation of \$3,000 asked of the voters is not extravagant by any means. The amount C. H. Baraw, H. N. Sanborn and O. I ought to be voted by the town in order Allen. to get the promised state aid.

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### Current Comment

The Senate Division.

It will be pretty difficult to find on any rollcall of the United States Senate a group of men who are stronger with their constituents and are held generally in higher regard for their ability and integrity by the whole country than these twenty-two Republicans, who voted against Lorimer yesterday: Beveridge, Borah, Bourne, Bristow, Brown, Burkett, Burton, Clapp, Crawford, Cummins, Dixon, Gronna, Jones, La Follette, Lodge, Nelson, Page, Root, Smith of Michigan, Sutherland, War-

ner and Young.

These men do not represent the fossils or retroactive elements in the Republican party. Their verdict is the country's verdict and while people will differ with them on many subjects, it is a matter of congratulation that they have got together in so good a cause. Look at the other "bunch":

Bradley, Bandegee, Briggs, Bulkeley, Burnham, Burrows, Carter, Clarke of Wyoming, Crane, Cullom, Curtis, Depew, Dick, Dillingham, Dupont, Flint, Frye, Gallinger, Gamble, Guggenheim, Hale, Heyburn, Kean, McCumber, Nixon, Oliver, Penrose, Perkins, Piles, Richard-son, Scott, Stephenson, Warren and Wetmore.--Boston Transcript.

### Jingles and Jests

Pleasant Spring Assured.

"Gee! Here's seven organ grinders arrested and sentenced to ninety days

each."
"Well, well! Looks as if we were going to have a pleasanter spring than we've been expecting."—Cleveland Plain

### CHELSEA.

Vote to Observe Old Home Week the Coming Summer.

G. Curtis Dane, on the west hill.

Miss Una Allen of Randolph was a visitor in town recently and while here was the guest of Misses Rachael and

Wednesday evening to attend the regular monthly meeting of the directors of the Granite Mutual Insurance company

Frank C. Dickinson, who took an enforced vacation from his work as clerk in the store of J. A. R. Corwin & Son by reason of an attack of the grippe, has so far recovered as to be able to return to duty again, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gates are re-

joicing over the birth of a daughter on

present not only seemed favorably the idea of observing old home week this year and voted so to do and elected the following officers: President, Col. treasurer, J. A. R. Corwin; executive committee, E. D. Barnes, O. D. Tracy,

Rev. Fred Daniels left the first of the week on a business trip which took him to Boston and he returned Thurs-

day evening. The house and horse barn, which oined the house, on the farm on the west hill owned by Frank A. Libbey, were destroyed by fire early Wednesday morning. The fire caught from a defective chimney, which passed up through one of the chambers. Mrs. Libbey and their infant son were spendng the night at the home of her father, Wilbur Smith, and Mr. Libbey was n the house alone and was not awakened by the fire until it had got beyond his control and he succeeded in saving only a small portion of the household The large stock barn, which stood nearly a hundred feet from the buildings which burned, did not catch The loss which is a severe one to Mr. Libbey was only partially covered by insurance.

### MONTPELIER.

H. O. Kent and John F. Dobbs, leputy game wardens, were in East ier Thursday to investigate a ase where dogs had chased a deer. The animal was found with one eve torn out, the skin bitten from hind and fore quarters and one foot comoletely chewed off, and was put out of its misery. The buck weighed 55 ounds and was less than a year old.

J. W. Brock, executor of the will of the late Homer Heaton, has conveyed to the city a strip of land, known as the Flatiron piece, at Berlin corner. The deed was given to clear up a title n which is was feared there might be

Dr. Don D. Grout of Waterbury bas een appointed guardian of Mary Lemay, now in the state hospital for the nsane. A bank book of \$308 was found n her dress when she was taken there. This she had earned herself. A daughter was born Thursday to

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Curtis Lord brothers have sold their horse Max S., to Harding of Barton for \$1, This is the animal which made a good record on the log this sea

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Prophet"; leader, Mrs. William H. Olliver, jr. Evening worship at 7; subject

of sermon to young people, "A Whole

The Church of the Good Shepherd-

W. J. M. Beattie, rector. First Sunday

in Lent, March 5, Holy communion an

Rev. A. C. A. Hall, bishop of Vermont,

Congregational Church-J. W. Barnett,

pastor, 10:30 a. m., worship and ser-

ice. 12 m., Sunday school; classes for all; subject, "Elijah Goes Up by a

Whirlwind into Heaven," II Kings 2:1-18.

5:45 p. m., Y. P. S. C. E.; topic, "Lessons from Great Lives: Moses," Ex.

sons from Great Lives:

Sunday Services Times and Places of Worship and Subjects of Sermons,

Salvation Army-Christian praise serv- sermon at 10:30 a. m. Sunday scho ice at 3 p. m. Salvation meeting at 8 and rector's Bible class at 11:50. Even p. m. Capt. and Mrs. Robert Thorne. ing prayer and sermon at 7 o'clock, Pentecostal Church—Services will be Wednesday evening, litany and address spending the winter with friends in held Sunday in the hall. Prayer services at 7:30. Friday evening, stany and address the home of her parents. Ms. at 1 0a. m. Preaching service at 10:30 and address at 7:30 o'clock. The section of her parents Ms. the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. a. m. Sunday school at 12 o'clock. and Sunday in Lent, March 12, the Rt Scripture reading at 7 p. m.

St. Monica's Church-Children's mass at 9 o'clock; celebrant, Rev. P. M. Mc-Kenna. Parish mass at 10:30 o'clock. Catechism, 3 p. m. Rosary and benedic-W. H. Sprague was in Barre City on tions, 4 p. m. Baptisms, 4 p. m.

> The Christian Science Church-Service at 10:45 a. m.; subject, "Man." Wednesday evening meeting at 7:30 o'clock, mon; subject, "Socialist Responsibility."
> Reading rooms open Tuesday and Fri- The regular bi-monthly communion servday from 2 until 4 p. m. 7 Summer ice. 12 m., Sunday school; classes for

> St. John the Baptist Church, Websterville-W. J. M. Beattie, rector. Even-ing prayer and sermon at 3 o'clock. 3:1-14; leaders, Esther Lawrence, Eliza-beth Hoar. 7 p. m., special musical service, with short address by the pas-Sunday school at 2 p. m. Thursday service at 7 o'clock. All are invited to come and worship with us. Seats are all free.

Presbyterian Church-Public worship at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school at 12 o'clock. Rev. Mr. McMillan of Atlantic City, N. J., will preach at the services to-morrow, both morning and evening. The congregation will please bear in mind the meeting Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock. Websterville Baptist Church-Robert

L. Caster, pastor. Morning service at 10:30. Bible school at 11:30, Junior meeting at 3 p. m., seniors at 6:15. Evening service at 7 o'clock; subject, "The Saloon and the People," by Albert Laing of Burlington. The older son, Harold, Thursday evening at 7 o'clock.

Italian Chapel-On Brook street, near Sunday school at 2:45 p. m. General meeting at 4 p. m. Prayer meeting or

Universalist Church-Edward C. Downy, pastor. Morning service at 10:30: the paster will give the first of his lenten sermons; text, "In Him was life, an dthe life was the light of man.' Sunday school at 12. Junior meeting at Prayer and praise service at o'clock; topic, "What shall I do to inherit eternal life ?"

Swedish Mission-Foresters' hall. Sun morning at 10:30, Sunday school followed by short meeting of the members of the mission. At 6, young people's meeting; subject, "Lessons from Great Lives-Moses," Ex. 3:1-14; leader, Waldus Bengtson. Preaching service at 7, followed by commu inavians cordially invited.

First Baptist Church-W. E. Braisted pastor. Morning worship at 10:30, with message; subject, "Christian Baptism-hy and How?" Bible school at 12 noon Thristian Endeavor at 5:45. Evening worship at 7, with message; subject The Will to Believe or to Disbelieve. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at :30. Welcome to all meetings

North Barre Methodist Episcopal Chapel-Deaconesses, Mrs. Alice C. Curtis and Miss Rose Bostwick. Sunday school at 3 p. m. on Sunday. Public religious service Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock. Basketry classes Monday and Friday at 6:30 p. m., and others by appointment. Social hour for women Friday from 2 to 4 p. m. Sewing classes Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Hedding Methodist Episcopal Church— Edward O. Thayer, pastor. Morning worship at 10:30; short sermon on Lenten Consecration," followed by the Lord's supper. The individual munion service, presented by Dr. O. H. Reed, in memory of his wife, will be used for the first time. Bible school at 12. Intermediate and junior leagues at 3:30. Epworth league at 6; topic,



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tor; subject, "I Am the Good Shepherd." will be the preacher at the evening service. The third Sunday, Rev. O. J. Booth, D. D., will preach, both morning and evening. All are cordially invited to attend these services.

Thursday, 7:30 p. m., meeting for prayer and Bible study; tonic, "Elisha, the Prophet, Restores a Child to Life," II Kings 4:8-37. The morning music will include the choral from Wagner's "Die Kings 4:8-37. The morning music will include the choral from Wagner's "Die Meistersinger," "Awake," and Vogrich's Te Deum in F. The evening music will be special as usual. The male quartet, Messrs. Jarvis, Grant, Edwards and Hutchinson, will assist and sing, "Remember, thou, thy Creator," by Rhodes, "I'm a Pilgrim," by Marston, and "Twilight" (duet), by Nevin. The organ recital from 7 to 7:15 will consist of Valse Tente by Schutt, chant "Triomphal," by Haul, and "Gute Nacht," by

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N. B.-Will mention them Monday morning.